

### HARD ROADS THEME OF BIG MEETING AT AMBOY OPERA HOUSE

REPRESENTATIVE LEE CO. MEN  
SHOWED INTEREST IN THAT  
VITAL SUBJECT.

### NIGHT MEETING IS CALLED OFF

Evening Session Abandoned Because  
of Absence of Hon. A. D.  
Gash.

(Special to Telegraph)

Amboy, Ill., Feb. 2.—The Amboy opera house was the scene of a very enthusiastic hard roads meeting this afternoon when town and county officials from all parts of Lee county gathered to hear addresses by Homer J. Tice, author of the Tice road law; James P. Wilson of the State Highway commission, and L. B. Neighbour, County Superintendent of Highways. Mayor Fred Vaughan and Dr. Dornblaser, president of the Commercial club, presided.

Prior to the meeting the Amboy Military band played a concert which was greatly enjoyed, the band boys donating their services to help make the event one of interest.

### Night Meeting Called Off.

The meeting which was advertised for this evening was called off because of the inability of A. D. Gash, also a member of the state commission, to attend. The three addresses this afternoon were very interesting and instructive, and undoubtedly did much to boost the good roads movement in Lee county.

Mr. Wilson and Mr. Neighbour discussed road conditions in this vicinity without gloves and both urged a band issue to take care of the greater part of the road building at once. Mr. Wilson said over thirty counties in the state had adopted that course and he showed how Lee county could do the same as easily as the rest. Mr. Neighbour's address was full of instructive and interesting local figures, and he also pleaded for a bond issue.

### Tice Addresses Session.

Homer J. Tice of Greenville, Ill., state representative and author of the Tice road law, speaking on the subject of Good Roads, said in part:

"Because of the condition of the public roads of Illinois it would cost the farmers of the state 18 cents per ton per mile for an average haul of five miles, which is two and fifteen hundredths cents per bushel, for hauling the surplus corn, wheat and oats of the 1915 crop to market. The cost will be in the aggregate \$5,921,765 or double the cost of a like service in countries and states having their main lines of travel permanently improved. This is an over-cost or loss of 20 1-4 cents per acre on corn ground, 23 3-4 cents per acre on the wheat ground and 14 1-4 cents on oats ground.

Permanently improved roads increase value of land from \$9 to \$12 per acre. Such roads will cost the agriculturist, to pay his proportionate share, \$1.86 per acre. We have in Illinois 32,522,880 acres of actual farm land or 50,817 sections. To permanently improve 20 per cent of the highways of the state will place within the one mile zone 24,320,000 acres or 38,000 sections.

Road conditions affect the business of the banker, merchant, manufacturer, craftsman, the professional man and all other occupations.

Improved roads make better schools and larger attendance in rural communities. The same is true with attendance at church services. The churches and schools of a community are its greatest moral, educational and social forces. No state or nation has or ever will attain the greatest greatness or achieve permanency unless the foundation stones of the structure be the church and the school. Education is the pathfinder and pilot for civilization. The standard of civilization is measured by the degree of educated christian citizenship. If the public schools are to have a maximum efficiency in training and instruction the children must be afforded facilities for reaching the schools. To do this the road from the home to the school house door must be one that can be traveled every day of the entire year.

There are 30,000,000 children of school age in the United States, 18-

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### PRINCESS MISKINOFF

Divorced American Woman  
Wants No More of Royalty.



Photo by American Press Association.

### TENANTS MOVED AND FARMS CHANGE HANDS

MARCH FIRST WAS AN ESPECIALLY  
BUSY DAY FOR VICINITY  
FARMERS

### SEVENTY ONE INSTRUMENTS FILED

A large number of changes were made of tenants of farms in this locality Wednesday, and consequently the roads were occupied with caravans of the movers on their way from one farm to another. March 1 is the universal moving day for the farmers and nearly all leases start from that date. A number of farmers left Lee county for places in the west and northwest. Many had bought land while others had decided to try their chances in a new country. While some were moving away others were moving in and hence there has been considerable activity about the railroad yards for the past two or three days. The snowfall made moving somewhat disagreeable.

The changes necessitate many legal papers being drawn and these are placed on file in the Recorder's office. The number of instruments filed Wednesday was in excess of those filed a year ago. When the office closed for the day's business the register showed 71 instruments filed for record. Up to noon today there had been forty filed and it is expected that before the office closes this afternoon that the number will nearly equal yesterday's.

### HORSE AND BUGGY STOLEN AT ASHTON

OUTFIT OWNED BY GLEIM BROS.,  
TAKEN FROM STREETS  
SUNDAY EVE

Ashton, Mar. 1.—A light bay mare hitched to a rubber tired buggy was stolen off Evans avenue Sunday evening between 7 and 9 o'clock when the greater part of our citizens were attending church service. The outfit was owned by Frank and William Gleim and since that evening every effort to locate the missing rig has been a failure.

The Gleim brothers drove to town Sunday evening and their horse and buggy was tied, with a number of other rigs, at the hitching rack in Evans avenue along side of A. W. Rosecans & Co.'s store. They discovered their loss about 9 o'clock when they went to get the rig to drive home. Not finding the horse hitched to the rack they made a search all over the city, but they found no clues. The sheriffs of this and adjoining counties were promptly notified. The animal is a light bay mare, traveled a little sore footed and holds tail to the left side. The buggy was black, rubber tired, and had a mohair top.

### TO ADDRESS CLUB

Rev. A. B. Whitecomb will go to Rochelle Sunday evening to address the People's Sunday Evening club at the Presbyterian church. His subject will be "Religion for Men."

### RESIGNED POSITION

Miss Alice McCoy has resigned her position at Woolworth's.

### GERMAN LOSSES AT VERDUN ARE 125,000

PARIS NEWSPAPER GIVES ESTIMATE OF WHAT ATTACK HAS COST.

### RAIDER MOEWE IS CAPTURED

(Associated Press)

A steamer arriving at Montevideo from Europe today reported that it had intercepted near the coast of Brazil a wireless message stating that a British cruiser had captured the German auxiliary cruiser Moewe, which had captured several British merchantmen on the high seas.

### May Be the Roan.

Another account stated that it was the German cruiser Roan that had been captured by the British, and not the Moewe. The Moewe is credited with being the ship that captured the British steamer Appam, which was brought to Hampton Roads by a German prize crew. It is also said to have destroyed many merchantmen, and to have been escorted by the Roan.

### German Loss 125,000

Paris newspapers state the German losses before Verdun to date are 125,000.

### Say Fort Is Destroyed

An unconfirmed dispatch from Amsterdam says that Fort Vaux, five miles northeast of Verdun, has been destroyed by heavy mortars.

### Russ Ship Lost

Russian steamship Alexander, 2,800 tons, has been sunk. Eighteen of the crew drowned, eleven being rescued.

British steamship Thornaby, whose sinking was reported yesterday, was destroyed by a mine last Monday. Three of the crew are known to have been saved.

### Will Continue to Arm.

Italy has notified Washington that Italian merchantment will continue carry armament for defensive purposes despite Germany's new submarine campaign.

### Four Vessels Sunk.

London reports the sinking of four more vessels, while the crews of three British smacks, sunk in the North Sea, have landed at Lowestoft.

### The Italian ship Elisa is reported sunk.

### On Verdun Front.

The French sacrificed men unsuccessfully in a counter attack on Fort Douaumont, which was captured by the Germans, according to today's Berlin statement.

The situation on the Franco-Belgian front is unchanged, Paris reports while intermittent bombardment on the Verdun and Woivre front continued during the night. There were no developments of importance.

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### NEW BAND HELD REHEARSAL

Enthusiastic Meeting of Musicians on Wednesday Evening.

The newly organized Chamber of Commerce band held a very profitable and enthusiastic rehearsal at the Armory Wednesday evening and every member of the organization, together with the members of the Young Men's Branch of the Chamber of Commerce who were present, are today confident of the success of the new musical organization.

### EXPECT ANOTHER BIG NIGHT

Large Crowd Anticipated At Ladies G. A. R. Bazar Tonight

It is expected that during the remainder of the week the patronage at the Ladies of the G. A. R. bazar, which is in progress at the Rosbrook hall, will steadily increase, as the approach of Lent will cause the dancers to enjoy themselves as fully as possible in the interim. The attendance has been very satisfactory and Wednesday evening was no exception. The Marquette orchestra will resume playing at the fair this evening and will finish the week.

### MOOSE BAND REHEARSAL

The first regular rehearsal of the Moose band will be held Friday evening, March 3, Moose hall. Every band member expected to be present.

### COMMISSIONER ILL

Commissioner Collins Dysart has been confined to his home for several days on account of illness.

### SALZMAN SOLD OUT INTEREST

Charles Krug Now In Sole Possession of the Sunnyside.

Charles Krug today purchased from Fred Salzman his interest in the Sunnyside cafe on First street, and will hereafter conduct the business alone. Mr. Krug established the Sunnyside several years ago and the place is one of the most popular eating houses in the city.

### TRIAL OF STRIKERS FOR MURDER CLOSING

FOUR MEN CHARGED WITH MURDER WILL SOON KNOW THEIR FATE

Castle Rock, Colo., Mar. 2.—Strike disorders from the burning of the strikers' tent colony at Ludlow, April 20, 1914, to the conclusion of the battle of the hogback near Walsenburg, were reviewed during the trial of four former strikers charged with murder in connection with the killing of Major Pliny P. Lester of the hospital corps of the Colorado National Guard, April 29, 1914. Arthur Quinn, Enoch Muir, Fred Garcia and Muekkie Salvage were the first of 72 persons indicted in connection with Lester's death to be brought to trial. Charles O'Neil, a fifth defendant, was granted a continuance because of illness.

The change of venue to Douglas county was taken after Judge Granby Lillyer had been barred from sitting in strike trials by a supreme court ruling. The case was called Jan. 3. Judge J. H. Denison of Denver presiding. A jury of farmers and stock men was obtained on Jan. 10 and the taking of testimony began two days later.

### Was Non-Combatant

Attorneys for the prosecution presented witnesses who testified that Major Lester was a non-combatant; that he was shot while attending a wounded lieutenant, and that shots which killed him came from the direction of the hogback near Walsenburg, where the strikers were en route to prove that the s

frenched. The prosecution also sought to prove that the strikers were armed and had organized to destroy property of the mine operators. Witnesses for the defense testified that the strikers were in fear of the militiamen and mine guards following the burning of the strikers' tent colony at Ludlow; that the families of the strikers had moved into fields beyond the "hogback" and were under the protection of armed strikers. Testimony was also introduced to show that Major Lester was armed during the battle between strikers and militiamen and that Adjutant General John Chase had given orders to "clear the hills of strikers."

### PETITIONS ARE FILING UP

Springfield, Ill., March 1.—Petitions filed today were: Thirteenth district, Democratic—Martin J. Dillon, Galena, delegate; preference, Wilson, Douglas Pattison Freepport, committeeman. Republican—W. Scott Cowen, Shannon, delegate; no preference.

### HER DAUGHTER IS ILL

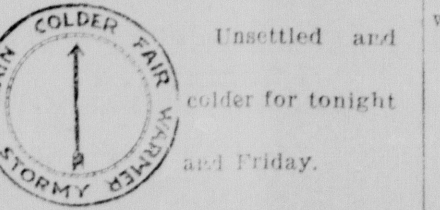
Mrs. W. S. Berg, who received word of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Dennis Cross, went to Rockford this morning to assist in caring for her.

### LICENSED TO WED

Irven Schoenhard, Freeport, Ruth Shade, same.

### THE WEATHER

Thursday, March 2 1916



Sunday	...	26	10
Monday	...	26	15
Tuesday	...	22	15
Wednesday	...	29	18
Thursday	...	26	13
Friday	...	21	...

### MAY ESTABLISH REST ROOM ON FIRST ST.

ROOM VACATED BY FORD SHOE STORE CONSIDERED FOR INSTITUTION.

### IS CONVENIENTLY SITUATED

The store room in E. First street, which is now vacant as the result of the retirement of D. A. Ford from the shoe business, in which he was engaged for many years, may be transformed into a rest room, agitation for which has been conducted for some time. It was stated today that the committee from the Young Men's Branch, Chamber of Commerce, who have been working on the proposition for some time, have been considering the Ford room favorably since it was learned that the venerable shoe man was to retire, and as a ground floor room is considered absolutely necessary, the room will likely be located there.

The location is excellent for such an institution. It is near the street car line, close to nearly all of the garages and, in fact, is considered the best available place for the rest room.

### AURORA HIGH MAY ABANDON THE TRACK

BOARD OF CONTROL EXPECTED TO SUBSTITUTE BASEBALL FOR TRACK TEAM

Aurora Beacon-News: Track athletics at the West High school were expected to be voted out of existence at the West High school at a meeting of the board of control this afternoon. It is said to be the intention to substitute the track work with baseball.

This action is expected to meet with much opposition on the part of the alumni of the school, which has had quite a proud record on the track in the past. The institution of a baseball team is not favored because of a poor grade of baseball played by the high school teams and the lack of good competition in this sport.

The fact that baseball is played principally by professionals who are experts at the game is said to be the reason that there is so little interest in high school and college baseball. The alumni believes that the youngsters in the schools should stick to track work, in which they have an opportunity for immensely greater glory than in baseball.

### ROOSEVELT WITHDRAWS NAME

Cables Secretary To Take Name Off Ballots In Illinois

(Associated Press)  
New York, March 2.—Ex-president Roosevelt, who is enroute to the West Indies, today cabled his secretary to withdraw his name from the Illinois primaries.

### TWELVE VOTES CAST; COST \$2500

Expense of Illinois Primary Election Shown In E. St. Louis

East St. Louis, Feb. 29.—Sixty-five officials were on duty today in the fifty-three precincts of the city at a cost of \$5 each, 35,000 ballots were printed and about a dozen scattering votes were cast in the municipal primary which had to be held under the Illinois law. The total cost of the election was \$2,500.

The parties which intend to have candidates in the next municipal election will make their nominations by petitions. At last year's primary, when a mayor was to be nominated, one vote was cast.

MARRIAGE LICENSE  
Irvin C. Pratt—Sterling  
Emma Schick—Amboy

### IN NEW HOME

S. E. Johnson and wife yesterday moved into their new home at 613 Peoria avenue. Samuel H. Patterson, who purchased the house vacated by Mr. Johnson, today moved his household good into the place.

### HOME FROM OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graves returned this evening from their visit in Oklahoma county.

### SENATOR GORE

His Resolution on American Rights to Be Voted on.



Photo by American Press Association.

### RECOMMENDATIONS OF STATE OFFICIALS HERE

SOUTH SIDE SCHOOLS TO BE REPAIRED TO MEET STATE REQUIREMENTS.

### SPRING VACATION STARTS MAR. 27

The monthly meeting of the south side school board was held Wednesday evening and routine business was transacted. The recommendations of the inspectors from the state fire marshal's office on certain alterations to be made at the various buildings and installing metal waste paper baskets instead of wicker in the class rooms, was received and the matter was referred to the proper committees. The spring vacation of school will be held the week of March 27 to April 3 and at this time considerable work will be done in the buildings in rearranging seats and adding additional blackboard space beside making provisions for better ventilation to conform to the recommendations of Mr. Huffman of the state superintendent's office, thereby gaining a Standard diploma from the state superintendent for the Dixon schools.

### U.S.W.V. VETERANS FOR PREPAREDNESS

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF WRITES BALDWIN CAMP CONCERNING AGITATION.

The members of Wm. E. Baldwin camp, No. 23, U. S. W. V., are in receipt of the following communication from Representative L. C. Dyer of Missouri, commander-in-chief of the United Spanish War Veterans:

"It is my earnest wish and prayer that the people of this country shall awaken to the responsibility and duty that confronts them, and that the congress of the United States representing the people will see their duty clearly in the premises by immediately enacting into laws measures that will make of our country one that we can be proud of. Let our army and navy be equal to the wealth and power of our country and to its needs. We have 21,000 miles of sea coast to defend; we have the Philippine Islands, we have the Hawaiian Islands, we have the Panama Canal, etc., to protect. Let us have the guns, fortifications, and the trained officers and men that we need, whatever the expense may be. It will be cheap in the end, whatever the cost is, because if we come to war with a first class power, such as we will some of these days the amount of money it would cost us to organize volunteer armies and navies, get the equipment, guns, etc., would far exceed all that we would spend in the gradual increasing and making efficient a splendid army and a splendid navy."

### MACHINISTS ON STRIKE

(Associated Press)  
Buffalo, Mich. 2.—Many machinists of the Pierce-Arrow automobile and Curtis aeroplane works went out on strike today.

### RESTOCKS FARM.

L. W. Mitchell has restocked his Trunk farm, west of the city, with grade Holstein cattle, replacing those which were slaughtered a year ago during the outbreak of the foot and mouth epidemic among the cattle of Lee county.

### CRISIS IN CONGRESS OVER ARMED SHIPS QUESTION VERY NEAR

WILSON TELLS CHAIRMAN FLOOD HE WILL NOT CONSENT TO COMPROMISE.

### EXPECT TO SMASH RESOLUTION

Administration Leaders Think They Can Beat Resolution of Warning.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 2.—President Wilson today told Chairman Flood of the house foreign committee, that he would consent to no compromise in the armed merchantmen controversy now before congress and that he declared a direct vote on a resolution warning Americans to keep off the armed ships of belligerent countries. Flood took Wilson's decision to the committee.

### "Soft Soap" Resolution.

The committee prepared to meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon when Flood will present the president's message. Flood said he believed a resolution acceptable to Wilson could be agreed upon by the committee.

Administration officials characterized the proposed vote of confidence as a "soft soap" resolution to endorse the president and at the same time warn Americans to keep off armed ships. Such a resolution would be unsatisfactory to Wilson.

### Line Up In Senate.

Wilson wants a vote on the McLeMORE resolution, or a similar one, to settle the agitation once and for all. Administration forces are evidently lining up for a vote in the senate on the armed ship resolution, fearing the matter may be delayed in the house, and it seems to be the plan to bring the Gore resolution up in the senate tomorrow.

### Can Smash Resolution.

"We have enough votes to smash the resolution" said Senator James this afternoon.

### Senate Adjourned.

Facing a delay in the house administration forces turned to the senate. Here Chairman Stone of the Foreign Relations committee, announced openly on the floor that he was not in accord with the president on the armed ship issue, and proposed that the senate take an adjournment instead of another recess, thereby getting into a new legislative day and relieving the parliamentary situation which has held Senator Gore's resolution from coming to a vote. The action was taken after a conference of administration leaders who are satisfied the Gore resolution will meet defeat.

### Hinted At War?

Senator Gore declared the reason for his course was the report that President Wilson has told certain congressmen that war between the United States and Germany "might not be ungrateful and might result in advancing civilization by bringing to an end the European war by mid-summer."

The report was vehemently denied by Senator Stone, while Senators Williams, Lodge and James spoke in favor of Wilson.

### Debate Was Sensational.

The debate over Senator Gore's statement was the most sensational of the present session. "I can not certify to the truth of the report," said Senator Gore. "I tell the tale as it was told to me, and if the Senator from Missouri will deny it, it will satisfy me."

Stone denied that the president had ever made such a statement in his hearing. Following the debate the senate passed to other business with a prospect of taking up the Gore resolution tomorrow.

A statement from the White House denying the account of the president's statements given by Senator Gore today, will probably be issued tonight.

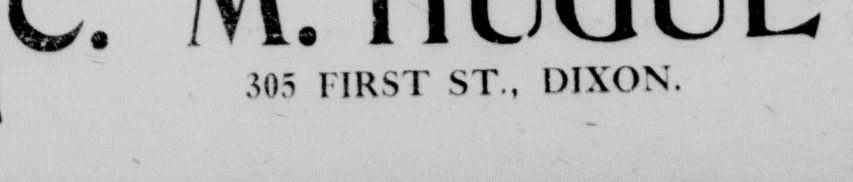
### Called In Mann.

Republican Leader Mann of the house will discuss the question with Wilson this afternoon at the president's request.

Washington, Mar. 2.—After being in session more than two hours, the house foreign relations committee adjourned until 10:30 Thursday morning without agreeing on any course of action on President Wilson's request that the resolution warning Americans off belligerent ships be reported out and acted on.

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## Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

### CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

#### Thursday

Loyal Daughters supper—Miss L. P. Hill  
St. Paul's Aid—Church  
Zion Missionary—Mrs. Tobias Switzer  
Court of Honor—Rickard hall  
G. L. G. Club—German Lutheran church  
C. C. Circle—Miss Florence Nettz  
Moosedance—Moose hall

#### Friday

Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S.—Masonic hall  
Knights and Ladies of Security—Miller hall

#### Saturday

D. A. R. meeting—Mrs. Abner Barlow

#### At Cards

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Leake entertained at a most enjoyable card party Tuesday evening. Six tables at six handed euchre were formed. Mrs. Max Eichler won the head prize for the ladies and Fred Dana for the gentlemen. The luncheon served was a most tempting one.

#### Sterling Reception

Mrs. Daniel Schuck and daughters, Misses Mary and Myrtle of Palmyra, and Wilbur Bates of Dixon were guests at the tenth wedding anniversary reception given Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Fritz of Locust street, Sterling, Monday evening.

#### D. A. R. Meeting

The Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at the home of Mrs. Abner Barlow, 317 A. G. avenue, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Barlow, Miss Osborne, Mrs. Burnham, and Miss Pankhurst are the hostesses. Each member is privileged to bring a guest if notification is made to Mrs. Barlow early in advance. Judge John B. Crabtree will address the chapter on the honor and advantages of American citizenship. Other features of interest will be on the program.

#### Court of Honor

The Court of Honor will hold its regular meeting at Rickard's hall this evening.

#### Luncheon Guest

Mrs. H. E. Finney was guest at luncheon today of the Misses Pells.

#### HAIR COMING OUT?

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After a few applications the hair stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff.

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#### Titus-Donagh Wedding

Rochelle, March 1—Miss Marguerite Donagh and Lyle Titus, of Steward, were married at the home of the bride, 621 8th street, at 2:30 this afternoon. Rev. D. N. Scott, pastor of the Presbyterian church read the service. Only the immediate families of the contracting parties were included in the invitations. The young people are high school graduates, Mr. Titus graduating in 1910, and Miss Donagh in 1911. Miss Donagh later attended the Illinois State Normal School at DeKalb. She has been teaching in the Franklin Grove schools. Mr. Titus recently resigned his position as assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Steward, Ill., to superintend the draining of the large Titus property interests near Baraboo, Wis. The young people will start housekeeping on a farm near Baraboo.

#### P. N. G. Club

The Past Noble Grand club will meet Friday p. m. at 3 o'clock I. O. O. F. hall.

#### At Yates' Home

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Moore of Franklin Grove were entertained yesterday at the home of Mrs. Henry Yates, N. Ottawa Ave.

#### Issue Invitations

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. William Hoover of Amboy for the marriage of their niece, Miss Gladys Heavlin to Preston Southard. The wedding will occur Tuesday, March 7th, at the Hoover home, Mason street.

#### For Mrs. Overmeier

Mrs. Lewis Drummond will entertain the members of the Hol Pollock club, their husbands, and friends at a scramble dinner Friday evening. The affair honors Mrs. Drummond's sister, Mrs. Melvyn Overmeier of Chicago, who was a former member of the club.

#### At Chocolate Shop

The City Alty club members were guests yesterday of Mrs. Fred Platten at the Chocolate Shop following the forming of a matinee party at the Family Theatre where Francis Bushman and Beverly Bayne were seen in the film, "The Prize Ring." Mrs. Platten served appetizing refreshments.

#### In Franklin

Misses Mary Manahan and Elizabeth Kennedy were entertained at the Halderman home in Franklin Grove Saturday. They also attended the teachers' meeting.

#### Luncheon

Mrs. Ray Cramer entertained with a luncheon Tuesday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Melvyn Overmeier of Chicago.

#### Guest at Rectory

Miss Anne Green of DeKalb will be entertained at the rectory for the week end, the guest of Mrs. Grant. Miss Green is the domestic science teacher at the DeKalb high school.

#### St. Ann's Guild

The members of St. Ann's Guild will meet in the guild room tomorrow and spend the day from 10 to 4 quilting. They will enjoy a chicken dinner at noon.

#### Guest of Miss Schrock

Miss Lillian Hilger of Mt. Morris will arrive this evening to be the guest for a few days of Miss Ruby Schrock.

#### At Supper

Mrs. Alice Wirth and family entertained at supper Tuesday evening, Messrs. and Mesdames Hiram Walker and Clyde McCarthy of Benedict, Neb., and Mrs. J. W. Winters of this city.

#### To Attend Luncheon

Mrs. H. E. Finney came out from Chicago Wednesday to attend the bridge luncheon given by Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook.

Miss Bess Ward of southern Illinois, Mrs. H. E. Finney of Chicago, and Mrs. Dana McGrew of Fairbault, Minn., were out of town guests.

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Pour the 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth) into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. The total cost is about 54 cents and gives you a full pint—a family supply—of a most effective remedy, at a saving of \$2. A day's use will usually overcome a hard cough. Easily prepared in 5 minutes—fall d. reactions with Pinex. Keeps perfectly and has a pleasant taste. Children like it.

It's really remarkable how promptly and easily it loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and breaks the inflamed membranes in a painful cough. It also stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the persistent loose cough. A splendid remedy for bronchitis, winter coughs, bronchial asthma and whooping cough.

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#### Ideal Club Meeting

Miss Elizabeth Hiller entertained the Ideal club at its regular meeting of Wednesday afternoon. Quotations from Elbert Hubbard were given in answer to roll call. Mrs. L. W. Miller and Mrs. Roy Bridges rendered an instrumental duet, "Cavalry Charge" (Franz Litzl). A very comprehensive and instructive paper on state government was given by Mrs. J. H. Beam. Mrs. Robert Fulton graphically sketched some of the more important of the current events of the day. Refreshments were served by the hostess during the social hour.

#### Pleasant Parish Party

Tuesday evening a charming and well attended parish party was given in the guild rooms of St. Luke's. The committees for entertainment and refreshment were Mrs. John Crabtree and Miss Todd had been busy to good purpose and the affair was in every way delightful. A program, furnishing much pleasure, consisted of three numbers by Smith's orchestra, reading by Miss Beatrice Howell, two song numbers by Willard Beach—"The Two Grenadiers" and "Hubert's 'Er! Konig.'" Clinton Fahrney accompanied Mr. Beach. Those who took part in the Pirates of Penzance, gave a number of songs from that operetta. Doughnuts and coffee were served after the program, Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Chandler pouring. Pink roses decorated the table with yellow jonquills were used on the piano.

#### Sunday in Sterling

Misses Lou and Esther Baughman will be guests over Sunday at the A. B. Emmett home in Sterling.

#### Bridge Luncheon

A very beautiful bridge luncheon was given yesterday by Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook to 27 ladies. The luncheon was served on one large table in the dining room and four small tables in the living room. Many novelties marked the luncheon, among them a beautiful spun candy basket of roses, used as a centerpiece on the large table, the Japanese place cards secured by Mrs. Rosbrook at the San Francisco exposition, and the final course at the luncheon—a French pastry. Five courses were served. Bridge followed the luncheon. Miss Nonie Rosbrook won the head prize, beautiful napkins, embroidered by Mrs. Rosbrook.

#### To Wed in Sterling

Confusion of Tuesdays brought about an incorrect announcement in regard to the wedding of Miss Charlotte May, a daughter of Supervisor and Mrs. Samuel May of Montmorency, and Clyde Baughman, a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Baughman of this city. The wedding will occur in Sterling the coming Tuesday, March 7th, at St. John's parsonage. Rev. E. C. Harris will officiate. Miss Esther Baughman of this city will act as bridesmaid. Mr. Baughman will be attended by the bride's brother, Vincent May.

#### Mystic Workers

Tomorrow evening is Mystic Workers' night at the bazar being held at Rosbrook hall by the Ladies of the G. A. R. The Mystics are asked to meet at the Slothower tin shop in order to attend in a body Meet at 8:45.

The Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will serve their annual chicken pie supper in the basement of the church Saturday, March 4, at 6 p. m. Menu: Chicken pie, mashed potatoes, baked beans, cabbage salad, lemon pie, coffee and jelly. Price 20c.

### WAS SENTENCED TO DEATH



#### MRS. ST. CLAIR STOBART

Mrs. St. Clair Stobart, who was a British nurse in Brussels, was sentenced to be shot like Edith Cavell. She managed to escape and later went to Serbia, where she was sick with the typhus. When she recovered she was in the retreat to the Adriatic. Having cheated death three times she went home to England.

#### St. Paul's Choir

A choir rehearsal at St. Paul's is announced for Friday evening, at 7 o'clock.

#### Desired to Surprise Friends

Irvin Schoenhard and Miss Ruth Shade of Freeport, giving their ages respectively as 24 and 22, visited Justice George W. Hill's office this afternoon, explaining that they wanted to surprise their friends by returning to Freeport as man and wife. Needless to say, the Justice responded with alacrity, and the last words of the wedding ceremony were pronounced shortly after 1 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Schoenhard will live in Freeport.

#### Married at Jerome, Idaho

Cards have been received by relatives and friends in Dixon announcing the marriage of Margaret Isabel, daughter of George L. Maxwell, to John Birney Daggett, formerly of Chicago, which took place Saturday, Jan. 26th, 1916. The Maxwells formerly lived in Dixon. Mr. Daggett is an extensive land owner. Mr. and Mrs. Daggett will be at home at Can on Trail Ranch, Jerome, Idaho, after April 1st.

### ALL CHILDREN LOVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give it when feverish, cross, bilious for bad breath or sour stomach

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "Fruit Laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

There are many questions which you might ask concerning **CHIROPRACTIC**, but there are some things which you want to know:—

1. **What is Chiropractic?** Chiropractic (Ki-ro-prak-tic) is a science of the cause and nature of disease, an art of unerringly locating this cause, and providing an original and adequate means of adjusting it more promptly, radically and permanently than any other system known.
2. **Can Chiropractic cure every Dis-ease?** Chiropractors do not claim to cure, but they do claim that Chiropractic Adjustments remove the cause of Dis-ease, and Nature cures.
3. **How long does it take to get well?** That depends on the extent of damage the dis-ease has made upon the tissues; and on the vitality of the patient.
4. **Is Chiropractic accepted by the medical fraternity?** The principles of medicine and of Chiropractic are so different that a medical practitioner cannot believe in Chiropractic and still practice medicine.
5. **Do people condemn Chiropractic?** Yes; but not people who have taken Chiropractic Adjustments from competent Chiropractors. Results tell.

**R. B. Saxmann, D. C.**  
(Ki-ro-prak-tor)

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#### Moose Dance Tonight

Miss Kent will give her fancy costume dances at the Moose dance tonight in addition to the regular dance. The proceeds of the dance above the expenses will be donated to the ladies of the R. A. R. for charity purposes. A fine time is anticipated.

#### At Worsley Home

Miss Lavine Swisher returned to her home in Mondota today after a few days' visit at the Dr. Worsley home.

#### In Chicago

Philip Woollever went to Chicago where he will spend a few days on business. While there he will be the guest of Attorney and Mrs. Hamilton.

#### South Side Lodge Club

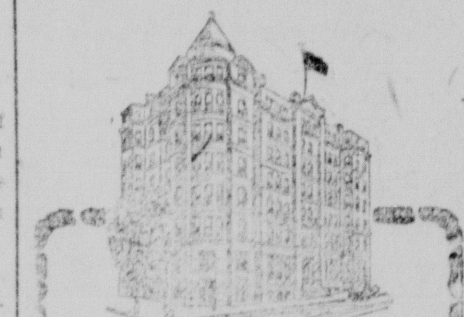
Mrs. F. L. Hamilton entertains the South Side Bridge club Friday afternoon at the Hamilton home on East Boyd.

#### At Dinner

Mrs. Z. W. Moss entertained in honor of Mrs. H. E. Finney at dinner this evening. Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook, Mrs. Dana McGrew and Misses Nonie Rosbrook and Bess Ward.

#### At St. Paul's

Special music will mark the Sunday evening service at St. Paul's. A program of unusual merit has been arranged, and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present. Mrs. Will Sheetz of Savanna, who as Miss Irene Eichenberg held a prominent place in St. Paul's choir, will be here to aid in the concert.



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#### Hard Times Party

Probably the most successful of the series of three parties given by the joint committee of members of St. Mary's Guild and the order of Knights of Columbus, as far as a jollity, informal time goes, was that of Wednesday evening at K. C. hall. A hard times party, the decorations and the array of the guests certainly declared it as such. That there were any "sober-sides" present last evening, I "hae my doubts."

Bars of soap, pendant from carpet rags swung over clothes lines, formed part of the decorations. In a conspicuous place hung the tinnest trousers you ever saw, said to be a souvenir of William Kennedy's boyhood, when he was really little. These were labeled, "Duke's First Pants." In fact the decorations were what would be called in theatre parlance, a "scream."

James Reynolds as a dago, and Miss Erin Fane, looking like John Bunny's vis-a-vis in so many plays, Flora Fitch, won the first prizes. Other "delicious" costumes were those worn by Miss Bess Blackburn, who looked like a "fussed-up" dame of many years ago in her ancient and elaborate costume, Mr. Zoeller as Charlie Chaplin and Misses Callahan and Mabel Drew who were togged in the alpaca basques, etc., of fifty years ago. Gerald Riordon and Miss Mary Kennedy, the latter with her grandmother's bonnet of years ago, a quaint basque and skirt and apron of hairpin lace, led the grand march. About 70 couples were present. Refreshments of doughnuts and coffee were served.

#### O. E. S. Will Meet

A regular meeting of Dorothy chapter, O. E. S. will be held in Masonic hall tomorrow evening.

Mrs. A. B. Heagy of Aurora is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. H. Tennant, Ave.

### Too Late To Classify

STOLEN: Will the party who took the coat from Daysville road near Fred Hill's yesterday return same to owner on Dr. Ives farm within a few days and avoid further trouble.

5213\*

FOR SALE. One block in West Dixon, between Rock Island St., Grant and Sherman avenues; suitable for anyone desiring market garden. Very reasonable. H. C. Warner.

5214\*

FOR SALE. Comfortable home at Prairieville, only \$1800. Barn, chicken house, cement walks, fruit, shade, large garden, close to school, church, store and interurban station. Here you can keep cow, pigs, chickens and live well and cheaply; good neighbors. At least \$500 cash required. Call on or address H. L. Chaplin, Sterling, or Mrs. Laura Royer, E. F. D., Dixon.

5215\*

WANTED. Roomers and boarders at 916 W. 9th St. Phone Y753.

5216\*

FOR SALE. Some fresh Holstein cows and springers, also some two-year old Holstein heifers. Enquire E. B. Stiles. Phone 12968.

5217\*

WANTED: Girl at City Steam Laundry, 319 First St.

5218\*

WANTED: Maid for general housework; good wages. Telephone Y-1082, or call at O. M. Rogers' residence, 409 E. Fellows St.

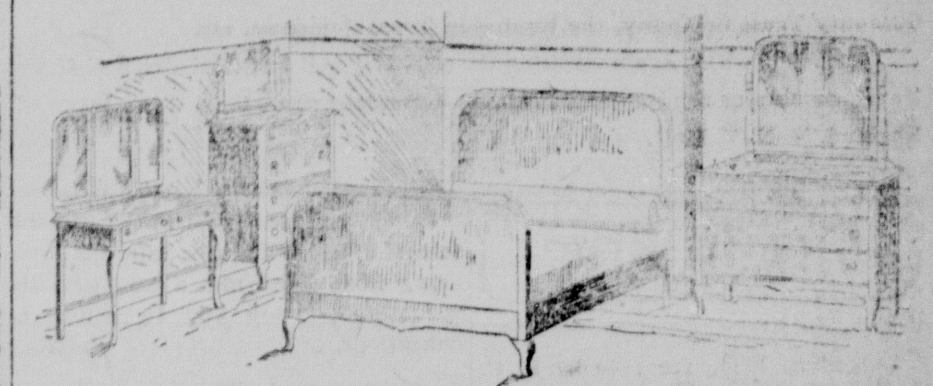
5219\*

FOR RENT. 2 furnished rooms and kitchen for light housekeeping. Telephone 13593 or call at 410 E. 8th St.

5220\*

FOR SALE. 9-year old mare; good driver and sound. Weight about 1100. R. P. Cortright, 805 People Sting her sister, Mrs. A. H. Tennant, Ave.

5221\*



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**BIG ROAD PROJECT.**  
Congressman Wm. D. Stephens of California has introduced a most comprehensive good roads bill in the house of representatives. With provision for what he calls 10,000 miles of national defense highway, he incorporates a novel "preparedness" plan. This national defense highway, if constructed, would run from Los Angeles through a southern route to Jacksonville, Fla., thence northward to New York City, thence to Portland, Me., commencing again at New York City it would be continued westward through the states of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois to Chicago, and northwestward through Wisconsin and Minnesota to St. Paul and Minneapolis; west through South Dakota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho and Washington to Seattle; south through San Francisco and Los Angeles to San Diego.

Right of way is to be secured from the several states by the president on terms satisfactory to him, and it is expected that these rights of way would include hundreds of miles of already completed and improved roads. Construction, improvement and maintenance to be under direction of United States army engineers, according to specifications to be approved by the president, and all at the expense of the federal government.

Here comes the preparedness provision: That all persons employed, clerically or otherwise, in construction, improvement and maintenance must be able-bodied citizens, physically and mentally fit for military duty, who shall during their employment be drilled and instructed for two hours daily, except Sundays and national holidays, by United States army officers, in accordance with army regulations.

To provide the money, Congressman Stephens asks for issuance of 50-year federal bonds in an amount not to exceed 100 millions, in denominations of \$20 or multiples thereof, bearing 3 per cent interest, these to be issued and sold from time to time as money is needed for carrying on the work.

Congressman Stephens gives emphasis to the military usefulness of such a road should war threaten or should we be attacked. If this is intended to be a real feature of the proposed highway, there ought to be a direct connection with the road leading out from Rock Island arsenal.

From the military standpoint the main defect of the bill is that the route of the highway does not pass directly through the arsenal, and that the lines of the route between the Mississippi and the Pacific are far to the south and far to the north, with no central highway provided for. But the project is a large one and if congress proves to have become sufficiently awake to the roads problem in this country, and to have grasped the truth that there must be national aid before any great progress can be made, then passage of the bill should not be impossible, and after that the providing of the missing central route.

**"BY LEAVE OF ENGLAND."**

Shares of stocks and bonds of American railroads and American industrial corporations sold through Amsterdam bankers to American investors and shipped on the Dutch steamships Noordam and Rotterdam from Holland to New York to be delivered to the purchasers were seized in the mail carried by the vessels and are held by the British government.

The British hold that the stock or bond must be shown to have none of and Austrians and so arrogate to themselves the right to capture and possibly confiscate them.

It does not matter that American banks, trust companies, brokers, bond dealers and others bought these securities in the regular course of business through the Stock Exchange and are embarrassed by failure to get them.

The Briti shhold that the stock or bond must be shown to have none of the taint of the hated German or it is subject to seizure.

Bills of exchange in payment of millions of dollars' worth of goods shipped by America to neutral nations of Europe have been taken from the mails by the British and never heard of again.

There are few banks in New York doing an international business that have not suffered through these acts. They are not the ones most concerned, the losses and the woes of merchants and shippers are many.

The Barbary pirates acted on the theory that they owned the Mediterranean. They held up ships, searched them for plunder and exacted tribute. The British act on the theory that they control all the seas. They search neutral ships, purloin treasure entrusted to the mails, rifle the pockets and the baggage of passengers, and, when they see fit, take prisoners.

We went to war with the Barbary States rather than submit to their criminal code. "Millions for defense; not one cent for tribute," was the rallying cry in those days. Today our bankers and brokers and merchants in the foreign trade are protesting to Washington against this new form of piracy in the British Channels. They are led by powerful interests, such as the Guaranty Trust Company, the Equitable Trust Company, etc.

If their protests are unavailing we might as well acknowledge that if we travel, or ship or send communications across the seas, it is "by leave of England."—N. Y. Mail.

**City In Brief**

- William Bardwell, E. Second street, is agent for the Saturday Evening Post. Drop him a card or telephone 302, if you wish to become a subscriber. 24tf
- Modern home for sale by E. C. Parsons. 52 24\*
- Charles Scheffler of Route 5 has moved to Harmon, Route 2.
- Order the Saturday Evening Post of William Bardwell, 612 East Second street, Dixon, Ill. Telephone 203.
- Miss Knapp and Miss Helen Urmy of Ashton were Dixon shoppers today.
- Miss Myrtle Hoffman was here today from LaMoille. Miss Hoffman is a student at Strong's College of Music.
- Frank C. Vaughan of Amboy accompanied the Thomas Creighton funeral party to this city yesterday afternoon.
- White paper for pantry shelves 1 cent a sheet at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.
- Thomas Lyons of Amboy was in the city yesterday calling on friends.
- W. H. Foote of Clinton, Ia., transacted business here Wednesday afternoon.
- Engraved calling cards for sale at the Evening Telegraph office.



All Summer Grandpa Bought Their Cattle.

**Daddy's Bedtime Story**  
How a Big Herd Swam One End of Lake Champlain.

**T**HIS is a boy's story, Jack, and if Evelyn doesn't like it we will kiss her good night and let her go to bed now," said daddy. But Evelyn only threw her arms around daddy's neck and clung there. So he went on: "Years and years ago, long before so much of the meat that mothers use to make good soup for children came from Chicago, Uncle Ben's grandpa made a great deal of money in Canada. "He used to take four of his best men—and Hank Fritz's grandfather was one of them—and drive to Canada; also the horse he drove was old Ned's grandfather, a beautiful, strong, trusty bay by the name of Pegasus, called Peggy for short. The Greek horse that could fly, you know, was Pegasus, and Uncle Ben's grandfather's horse could go almost as fast as if he flew. Well, this grandpa used to drive about all summer among the French Canadian farmers and buy their nice fat cattle—cows, steers, yearlings and calves. When he had a huge herd of two or three thousand he would hire a lot of Canadian boys to help his four picked trusty men drive the herd back to the United States. Sometimes it took them weeks to get so many cattle safely back well fed for the big city markets in our country. "Well, one summer when the herd was especially big and fine the men had driven it along down through York state as far as the south end of Lake Champlain, which is the beautiful blue, long lake that divides the states of New York and Vermont. It was a hot summer day, and suddenly up came a terrific thunderstorm. Thunder boomed and echoed like cannon in a big battle, and great sheets of lightning tore the blue sky like giant fireworks. Probably it was the loud, long thunder that frightened the cattle. Anyway, in spite of the dozens of men who tried to keep them in the road, Uncle Ben's grandpa drove up in his carriage just in time to see his herd's leader strike in to swim the lake. With the terrible storm dimming in his ears he must have had a bad five minutes watching his thousands of dollars stampeding to almost certain death. Between the rain sheets he saw all that end of Champlain a moving mass of heads and horns, but he shouted to his men to run and meet the herd on the other shore, and the men were so skilful that when the storm died down and they were able to count the cattle only about two dozen had been lost in the stampede of the swim. So they all rested a day till the cows forgot their fear. Then on down through New England they plodded to make the best of soup for thousands of little children," daddy finished. "Daddy, that was a girl's story, too," Evelyn whispered, kissing him.

- George Galloway was a visitor in this city yesterday from Mendota.
- Mrs. Lawrence McGreal and sister, Miss Pauline Gannan went to Chicago on the morning train to remain a few days.
- Come and see our samples of engraved calling cards.—B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.
- Rev. A. R. Bickenbach of Oregon, pastor of the Presbyterian church there and a former pastor of the Dixon church, made a hurried call in Dixon today.
- Good Potatoes, \$1.00 per bushel; fancy oranges, 20, 25, and 30c per dozen; 15 pounds of best granulated sugar with a \$1.00 order; dill pickles 10c a dozen. Get our prices on pure cane sugar by the hundred. Tetrick's Grocery, 116 Peoria Avenue, telephone 109. 5212
- Charles Geisler went to Franklin Grove this forenoon on business.
- Mrs. F. W. Worsley of Mendota visited her son, Dr. Worsley, on Tuesday.
- Miss Lucille Miller has been spending a few days as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Wilson of Wausung.
- Miss Clara Sheets of Freeport is visiting for a few days at the George Eichenberg home.
- Supervisor C. C. Buckaloo of Nelson was here today transacting business.
- Charles Dykeman of Chicago is here to visit his brother, Jessie Dykeman, who recently underwent an operation at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital.
- Prescott Clark attended the Good Roads meeting in Amboy today.
- John G. Hemmer of Chicago was in the city today on business.
- Attorney R. H. Scott went to Amboy this morning to spend the day.
- Mrs. W. L. Sheets arrived this morning from Savanna to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Eichenberg.
- States Attorney Harry Edwards, County Clerk Fred G. Dimick, County Treasurer John E. Moyer and Deputy Sheriff Frank Schoenholz were in Amboy today to attend the Good Roads meeting.
- Ralph O. Dixon of Nachusa was in the city yesterday on business.
- Miss Lorine Erbes of Sublette is here on a few days' visit with Miss Nera Phillips.
- Attorney John Armstrong returned last evening from a business trip to Galena.
- Harry M. Ostrander of Harmon township was here today on business.
- Mesdames Harry E. and Frank C. Spear of Polo were here today visiting friends.

**DOGS SAVED WATSON'S BODY FROM MUTILATION.**

**CHAS. RAY WATSON JR.**  
When this little six-year-old son of Charles R. Watson, the Cusi mine superintendent who with 17 other Americans was assassinated at Santa Ysabel, Mexico, marched in the funeral cortege of his father at El Paso with these two dogs American soldiers in line saluted him and them. Watson had taken the dogs with him on the ill-fated trip. When he was shot running toward the river the two dogs followed, and they guarded his body. Mexicans who rushed up to mutilate it as they had done to bodies of



the other Americans, feared the barking and ferocious dogs. The greasers backed away. The dogs remained on guard for 48 hours until the rescue train from Chihuahua recovered the bodies of the Americans. The dogs were found whining and barking beside their master's body. They were taken to El Paso and given over to the son when he arrived from a military school in Los Angeles. The photograph shows him in his school uniform.

**HOW TO GET RID OF CHRONIC DANDRUFF**

The only sure way to get permanently rid of dandruff is to remove the conditions that cause it and then keep the hair and scalp in a clean, healthy, vigorous state so dandruff will never return. This best shampoo, which merely remove the dandruff for a few days at most. Rowland Bros. are now strongly recommending Parisian Sage, a harmless, inexpensive and quick acting preparation, that is guaranteed to act directly on the cause of dandruff and entirely remove it or the purchase price will be cheerfully refunded. Here is a test no one should fail to try. Get from your druggist a package of Parisian Sage. Rub a little of it in to the scalp with the finger tips and see for yourself how the dandruff disappears, the hair stops falling out and all itching immediately ceases. Nothing hurts the hair more than dandruff so why not begin using Parisian Sage today and be forever rid of it?

**CURRENT COMMENT**

Elgin News: They are having a great time in Chicago to decide upon a post master to displace the present incumbent. The officer must be satisfactory to both labor and capital. He must stand in with both the pro-German and the pro-Ally voters. He must not be displeasing to the various political factions of the Democratic contingent, but his qualifications for office have not as yet been considered. Evidently the successful candidate needs none. But it will be some problem to discover one that fits the other essentials.

Quincy Herald: Preparedness in these days also means that the telegraph editor must plug up on Russian and Turkish geography.

Peoria Transcript: Of course, it always will be held against Washington that he couldn't tell a lie while some of his successors could and wouldn't but the names of the latter never have found lodgement in permanent records.

**DIXON OPERA HOUSE**  
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**TWIN BEDS**  
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Would you exchange yours for twins?—that is  
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Selwyn & Company's LAUGH FESTIVAL  
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Direct from its record making Run of fifty-two weeks in New York  
Price 25-50-75-1.00-1.50 Seats on sale at Campbell's

Champaign Gazette: It is noticeable that in his speech declaring that the American navy ought to be "incapably the greatest navy in the world," President Wilson neglected to say one word about the treasury deficit and his plans for raising revenue.

**DUIS VS. LYND.**  
This evening at the Brunswick alleys a game will be played in the City Bowling league between the Lynds and Duis teams. The Duis team leads the league while Lynds' team is down at the foot of the ladder, but they expect to improve their standing in tonight's game and force another team into the cellar.

**BOUGHT NEW OVEN.**  
Mrs. E. A. Christiane has returned from Chicago where she purchased a Roberts portable oven of 500 loaves capacity for her home bakery.

**TO MINNESOTA**  
Emil Pressler of Walton, a former resident of Dixon, leaves tomorrow for his new home in Camby, Minn. Mr. Pressler has purchased a farm there.

**MOVE TO INDIANA**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lehman and Edward Slough of St. James were here on business today. Mr. Slough has purchased a farm near Fortville, Ind., about 25 miles from Indianapolis, and will move there Monday.

**DAUGHTER BORN**  
A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earle Kennedy of Lincolnway, this morning.

**GET YOUR NEW SPRING HAT NOW.**  
You may just as well start wearing that new Spring hat now. The Spring styles are here ready for you. Plenty of new shapes and colors to show you in soft hats. Derbies too in different blocks. It's Spring Hat Time. Be sure you buy the right style. The surest way is to buy here, then you'll know the style is right.  
Hats at all prices from \$2.00 upward. Extra quality \$3.00. Knox Hats \$5.00.  
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Five Miles of Views. 5,000 Scenes  
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### PRINCESS THEATRE.

Tonight the Princess theatre will show a thrilling three reel American feature entitled "The Smugglers of Santa Cruz" with Wm. Russell and Charlotte Burton in the leading roles, an exciting seacoast drama in which a band of opium smugglers is brought to bay, some of the most exciting scenes imaginable are shown in the film and Wm. Russell's detective work is very cleverly done. This feature is something never seen before on the screen and deserves the patronage of everyone. The comedy for the evening is a Falstaff entitled "Pete's Persian Princess" with Claude Cooper in the leading role, a scream from start to finish. Tomorrow a western photoplay will be shown entitled "Wild Jim, Reformer," presenting E. Forest Taylor and Lizzie Thorne. Watch papers for announcement Saturday.

### FAMILY THEATRE

Jesse L. Lasky presents Fannie Ward in "The Marriage of Kitty," a picturization of the play of the same name by F. de Croisset and Fred de Gresac at the Family theatre today.

A synopsis follows:  
"The Marriage of Kitty" is a comedy of modern continental and American life and manners, which, on the legitimate stage has been presented at all European countries, in England and throughout the United States and Canada.

Miss Ward, internationally famous as a comedienne will make her photodramatic debut in the role of Kitty. Kitty is a young American girl, left penniless and faces the problem of obtaining a living. Brought up to enjoy the best in the land her tastes are such as a young woman of breeding is accustomed to have. Through a lawyer friend, to whom she turns for advice, Kitty marries an English nobleman, who promises her a handsome sum and a speedy divorce when the legal formalities of marriage are finished, that he may come into a large fortune. Neither Kitty nor Lord Reginald had ever seen each other and he leaves immediately after the ceremony.

Subsequently Lord Reginald, seeing how attractive Kitty is, relents his promise to release her, much to the chagrin of an adventuress who had hoped to marry the nobleman. Kitty seizes the opportunity to acquire a title and a fortune, and her future is happily assured after a series of humorous and complicated situations.

### "TWIN BEDS"

Selwyn and Company have selected "Twin Beds" the Laugh Festival by Salisbury Field and Margaret Mayo to which New York gave the honor of 52 weeks run, as the attraction at the Dixon opera house tonight.

"Twin Beds" is a clean and rollicking farce, built upon an attempted escape from too much neighborliness made by six people in a fashionable apartment building who all solemnly move, in great secret, to another, precisely similar apartment house in another part of town, and then begin their troubles all over again.

Mrs. Kelly came down from Ashton this morning to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Vincent Arnold, on Hennepin avenue.

Jesse Beech left Monday for Cambridge, Minn., where he has purchased a farm.

## HARD ROADS THEME OF MEETING TODAY

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900,000 of whom reside in rural communities. The ratio of illiteracy in rural communities having indifferently improved roads is 18 to 1 compared with communities having permanently improved roads. There is double the percentage of illiteracy found in rural communities of the United States as compared with cities. Along with non-attendance in the schools goes illiteracy, narrow and selfish thought, weak and unstable patriotism and retarded civilization.

"The last federal census shows a decrease in population in communities whose roads are unimproved and a heavy increase in localities having improved roads. The bettering of home and community life, the educating and elevating of our citizens, prosperity and advancement of our state all depend in large degree upon the public roads—the means of communication and transportation.

Whatever builds up and sustains a community or state and brings to it broader and superior advantages, greater and more diversified pleasures create a love and respect for its institutions and inspires sustaining purpose and patriotic thought. If our purpose be, and I know it is, the elevating of our citizenship to an even higher plain and the continual advancement of our people morally and intellectually and through these agencies the establishing of a permanency which will be a sure defense for all time, and if our national ideal be the strength and justice, the charity of power and the friendship of human brotherhood we must educate and train the mind of the child and through the child the heart and soul and conscience of the man."

### BARLOW FUNERAL SATURDAY

Service For Amboy Night Marshal To Be Held Then.

The funeral of Night Marshal Victor Barlow of Amboy, which had been announced for Friday, will not be held until Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock, at St. Patrick's Catholic church in Amboy and with burial in the Catholic cemetery there. The change in the arrangements was necessitated by the inability of a daughter, Mrs. Granger, and son, to arrive from Spokane by Friday.

### POOLE VS. JUNIORS.

At the Y. M. C. A. bowling alleys this evening a contest will be played between the Poole and Junior teams. If the Juniors win it will put them in the lead in the tourney. Tomorrow evening a contest will be played between the Raymond and Rogers teams and as the Raymond and Junior aggregations are tied for first place the former team will try to win to hold the position undisputed.

Mrs. Segner has just returned from a Chicago visit.

Among those who went to Amboy today to attend the good roads meeting were Supervisors Frank Young, Joseph McCleary, Wilbur Cortright, Abram Ackert and Lester Street.

### THE POISON CHIEF



Jean Crones

This photo of Jean Crones, who tried to poison 300 guests at the dinner given to Archbishop Mundelein at the Chicago University club, was obtained from friends of his by the New York police. Copies of it have been sent throughout the country.

## CONGRESS TRIES TO GIVE SUPPORT

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The views of some of the leaders developed to be so much in conflict with those which the President outlined at his morning conference that the leaders urged the appointment of a joint committee to go to President Wilson to ask him for an official statement of what he wants congress to do. The leaders considered the situation very much muddled.

Speaker Clark, after a conference with other house leaders, and some Democratic senators, had advised the foreign affairs committee to recommend a joint resolution which would provide for the appointment of such a committee.

### Wilson Demands Action.

It is understood President Wilson does not feel that a vote of confidence will accomplish the objects he seeks and that foreign capitals can be made to understand that the American government is united in the submarine negotiations. He desires a straight out defeat of the resolutions proposing to warn Americans off armed ships.

House leaders had drafted for consideration of the house a measure proposing that congress express its confidence in the President's handling of the armed merchantmen controversy and recognize that it is not a matter of legislative but of executive concern.

### Senate Delays Action.

Senators Stone, Kern, Overman, Martin, Swanson and Gore, the latter author of the senate warning resolution, held a brief conference at the conclusion of which it was agreed that nothing should be done in the senate until Thursday.

Germany's latest assurances on the conduct of submarine warfare, presented Monday by Count von Bernstorff to Secretary Lansing, are not so broad as the United States desires, but it is indicated no further steps will be taken by this government until the administration is certain its action will not be embarrassed in congress.

Administration officials were interested in the announcement made in London by Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war trade, denying that British merchant ships had been instructed to fire on submarines, except in the exercise of their right to defend themselves.

## LIBRARY NOTES

### HANDICRAFT

McGlauffin—Handicraft for Girls  
Patton—Home and School Sewing  
Laughlin—Complete Dressmaker  
Marks—Home Arts and Crafts  
Dick—Arts and Crafts of Old Japan

White—How to Make Pottery  
Erskine—Bent Iron Work  
Rose—Copper Work  
Wilson—Silver Work and Jewelry  
Priestman—Handicraft in the Home  
Wheeler—How to Make Rugs  
Wheeler—More Baskets and How to Make Them  
Klickman—Craft of the Crochet Hook

White—How to do Bead Work  
Hasluck, ed.—Bamboo Work

## VERDUN BATTLE THOUGHT ENDED

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London, Mar. 2.—Checked by the rallying French forces on the north and northeast of Verdun, the crown prince's army renewed its most violent efforts to cut in upon the stronghold from the southeast. For the first time in the ten days and nights of uninterrupted fighting Berlin claims no gains against the fortifications.

The midnight communique from Paris, on the other hand, indicates that the French defenses have at last swung into their greatest power against the menace on three sides of the city and are tearing the German lines with shot and shell of all calibers and in unprecedented violence. Berlin attributes this French bombardment to a belated effort to exact payment for the great German advance, but declares the French attacks have proved a failure.

### Germans Shell Forts.

Apparently the German front is pressing most heavily against the defenses southeast of Verdun, where the Kaiser's legions are assaulting the French on the line of Chatillon, Matronville and Haudimont, while the great German siege guns are battering the forts of Rozellier, Haudainville and Belrupt, behind the French intrenchments southeast of Verdun. The French line, however, is undoubtedly holding in this sector as it is to the north and northeast of the city.

In retaliation the French are shelling the German second and third lines around Cernay, in the Thur valley of Alsace.

In the meantime the artillery activity has extended to practically all portions of the western line from Belgium through the Verdun sector. In some quarters here it is believed that the German objective has been definitely defeated and the battle is over.



Some of the Famous Riders of the Ku Klux Klan as Seen in "THE BIRTH OF A NATION" at the Academy of Music, Sterling, March 9, 10, 11.

### FARMER IS KILLED BY TRAIN

Wealthy Seward, Ill., Man Meets Death in Odd Accident.

Joliet, Ill., Mar. 2.—James Laird, a wealthy Seward farmer, was instantly killed by a St. Paul Limited train at Minooka, while he was chasing his runaway team down the railroad tracks.

Laird was loading freight into a wagon at the Rock Island railroad station and his team became frightened and started to run along the railroad tracks. At the time the train, running at high speed, came into view, and before Laird could seize the reins and guide the team from the rails the engine had crashed into the wagon.

### MARDI GRAS CROWD IS HURT

Three Women Victims of Radiator Explosion on River Excursion.

Cairo, Ill., Mar. 2.—Three women were injured on the steamer Steel City when a steam radiator exploded in the women's reception room.

The steamer, laden with 200 Mardi Gras excursionists was preparing to leave for New Orleans when the accident occurred.

### Police Captain Dies.

Jacksonville, Ill., Mar. 2.—Ernest G. Laboyteaux, aged fifty-six years, night captain of police, died at Jacksonville of pneumonia. Mr. Laboyteaux was for twelve years chief of the Jacksonville fire department and was prominent in the Illinois Fire Chiefs' association.

### G. L. G. Club

The G. L. G. club will meet this evening at the German Lutheran church.

### CONFER ON MAIL SEIZURES

Action of Great Britain Discussed by President and Van Dyke.

Washington, Mar. 2.—Seizure of American mails by British naval authorities was discussed at a conference between President Wilson and Henry Van Dyke, American minister to the Netherlands, who also conferred with Secretary Lansing and Counselor Polk of the state department.

It is indicated that the mail question will be disposed of before the United States sends to Great Britain the note on contraband, now in course of preparation.

### SEVEN FOUND DEAD IN FIRE

Farmer, His Family and Two Brothers Oklahoma Victims.

Taloga, Okla., Mar. 2.—The bodies of seven persons were found early in the morning in the ruins of a farm house which burned some time in the night, six miles northwest of here.

The dead have been identified as M. Creed, the occupant of the house, his wife, three children, and his two brothers.

Break \$200 Window, Take \$1.48.  
Mattoon, Ill., Mar. 2.—Burglars broke a \$200 window to gain entrance to the First Presbyterian church. They got \$1.48 for their trouble.

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20 pieces new curtain goods, yd. .... 10c	Fresh cocoanut cookies lb... 10c
Mail box with lock and key ..... 10c	No. 3 cans spinach or kraut ..... 10c
Heavy hack saw frames... 10c	No. 3 cans apricots, peaches, peas ..... 10c
Nicholson saw blades, 3 for ..... 10c	Star cut sherbets ..... 10c
Blooming hyacinths, ..... 10c	Lots of new glassware... 10c

## Kramer's 5 & 10c Store

THE STORE OF REAL BARGAINS

Verdun Bodies Choke River.  
The Hague, Mar. 3.—From the Verdun battle field scores of bodies of French and German soldiers are being swept into the North Sea by the swollen waters of the River Meuse.

School Children Killed.  
Muskogee, Okla., Mar. 2.—Two school children were killed and five were seriously hurt when a passenger train struck a school service bus. The driver also was killed.

Mrs. W. W. Winter is quite ill again at her home on Everett St.

Mrs. Douglas Pattison has returned to Freeport after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Andrus.

Mrs. Jacobson went to Chicago this morning.

Henry Balbock of Ohio Station was in Dixon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cordes of Ashton were Dixon shoppers yesterday.

W. F. Fish of the Daysville Road was a Dixon caller yesterday.

## SPRING SHOES ARE HERE

A wonderful showing of new styles and leathers. There is just enough difference to give the proper finish to lighter weight apparel.

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## PRESIDENT'S GRANDCHILD A FRESH AIR BABY.



Ellen Wilson McAdoo and Her Fresh Air Crib.

Washington society, or the mothers in it, have become intensely interested in the methods employed to bring up President Wilson's grandchild, Ellen Wilson McAdoo, daughter of the secretary of the treasury, a healthy child. Mrs. McAdoo has had built in the front nursery window of her home a crib that runs out

from the windows so the child may sleep and play in the fresh air. Physicians who have examined the crib say its plan is ideal, and that if every city mother use something like it for her babies there would be more healthy men and women.

## The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

### BEEFY DISHES.

**MEXICAN BEEF LOAF.**—Chop two pounds round of beef, one-half pound of lean, fresh pork, one peeled onion and one green pepper, freed from seeds. Add one cupful of dry bread crumbs, one tablespoonful of parsley, one tablespoonful of tomato ketchup and one teaspoonful of salt. Shape in a loaf, place in a buttered pan, pour in one quart of stewed and strained tomatoes, put four slices of bacon on top and bake one hour, basting frequently with the sauce.

**Beef Roll.**—Chop fine one and one-half pounds bottom of round steak. Mix well with one-half cupful of bread crumbs one well beaten egg, a few drops of onion juice and salt and pepper to season. Add milk to moisten if necessary. Shape into loaf or roll and bake thirty minutes, basting frequently with a little melted butter in hot water. Remove from the pan and make a brown gravy to pour over it. Serve with a border of well cooked macaroni.

**Beef Lard.**—Cut slices a half inch thick from the rump or round of beef, divide them into pieces about four inches square; spread with sausage meat or forcemeat; roll up tightly and fasten with cord or wooden toothpicks. Brown in butter; cover with broth; stew until tender and nearly dry; thicken the gravy with flour; add one-quarter of a cupful of tomato or mushroom ketchup; bring to a boil and serve.

**Roast Beef in Ramekins.**—Chop the remains of cold roast beef fine; season to taste; add minced onion; cook slowly, adding a little water or milk, until the mixture thickens. Have ready

baked individual pastry shapes. Fill these with hash and dot with butter. Stand in oven until browned. Serve hot.

**Pressed Flank of Beef.**—Wipe, remove superfluous fat and roll a flank of beef. Put in a kettle, cover with boiling water and add one tablespoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of peppercorns, a bit of bay leaf and a bone or two which may be at hand. Cook slowly until the meat is in shreds. There should be but little liquor in the kettle when the meat is done. Arrange the meat in a deep pan, pour over the liquor, cover and press with a heavy weight. Serve cold, thinly sliced.

*Anna Thompson*

**Troops to Protect Mexican Railroad.**  
El Paso, Tex., Mar. 2.—Extensive troop movements at Juarez were said by Carranza officials to have as their object the protection of the Mexican Central railroad against bandit raids. The new disposition of forces also was said to be in line with plans of General Luis Gutierrez for capturing Francisco Villa.

**Waive on 4 Boston Players.**  
Boston, Mass., Mar. 2.—The Boston American league baseball club announced that all American and National league clubs had waived claim to Forest Cady and Chester Thomas, catchers, and to Ray Collins and Joe Wood, pitchers.

**Women Rob Bank.**  
Idabel, Okla., Mar. 2.—Posses were searching for two women and a man who robbed the bank of Millerton, twelve miles west of here and escaped in an automobile with \$1,000.

## A CURE FOR SULK

By M. QUAD

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It is an old saying among country folk, and perhaps in the cities, too, that the mother who has seven children has one sulky one among the lot. This certainly was the case with Mrs. John Whittaker.

Miss Sally Whittaker showed signs of the sulks when only a year old.

Up to the age of nineteen Miss Sally had an attack of the sulks about once in two weeks on the average.

The girl was good looking and intelligent, and she would have had many admirers but for this singular trait of hers. Some times when a young man called to get better acquainted she was as good as pie. At other times he found himself alone in the parlor while the "sulker" went to bed or took a walk by herself.

Then came Abraham Doe. In delivering some potatoes at her father's house he saw Miss Sally and lost his heart to her at once.

Abe was a good fellow and always carried a laugh with him. In a joking way, as he emptied the last bag of potatoes, he said something to Miss Sally about coming a-courting, and although it was one of her good days, she went off into a fit of sulks and disappeared.

"What ails the gal?" he asked of the mother, in great surprise.

"Oh, you mustn't mind her—she's a bit flighty at times," was the reply.

"But I'm coming a-courtin' jest the same."

In the next three months Abe came a-courting twice a week, and during that time he met with five or six cases of the "sulks."

He took them all good naturedly, however, and not once did he "fly up" and vow that he would never step foot in that house again.

But one day he asked her mother if her daughter had always been given to sulking and received this reply:

"Yes, putting or sulking. It is unfortunate. Dr. Baker said she would outgrow it and she has, to some extent. There was a traveling doctor around here the other day, and I told him about her. He said it was something that could be cured right away. A sudden fright would do it."

"Shoo! Who's goin' to frighten her?" And thereupon Mrs. Whittaker and the farmer originated a little conspiracy of two, and when they were through talking they both smiled and said it would work. It was a conspiracy against Sally and her sulks. In about a week a "fit" was due, and they would be ready to carry out the details of their plot.

About a quarter of a mile from the Whittaker house was an old cider mill, long since given up to the rats, cats and owls. Ofttimes when Sally had her sulks she carried them to this old building and took a seat and had it out with herself. She had been known to go there of an evening, when other girls would have been frightened by the loneliness of the place.

One evening Abe got the wink from the mother as he took a seat in the parlor. It was a wink that told him the sulks were not far away. He winked back and grinned. What he said to Sally half an hour later brought on the climax. She jumped out of her chair and ran outdoor bareheaded. It was half an hour after twilight, but he did not follow her—not as Abe, the lover. There was some lusting done about the house, and when the young man stepped forth and took his way to the old cider mill the reader would not have recognized him by his attire. Miss Sally Whittaker had been crossed, humiliated, reproved, and Abe Doe had done it. She sat in the darkness of the old mill and gritted her teeth and vowed that she would never, never speak to him again.

Sneak, sneak, sneak! went the rats, and Sally shivered. O-o-o-o-h, o-o-o-h, o-o-o-h! hooted the owl among the rafters, and Miss Sally did more than shiver—she uttered a little scream of fright.

She held her ground, however, as she had not finished her sulks yet.

But did Sally Whittaker escape thus easily? Not much! There was still something coming to her. It was a ghost—a great, big ghost, that looked to be ten feet high.

Abe Doe had been told by the high-

est authority that a couple of peach pits would disguise the human voice beyond recognition. The ghost in the old cider mill had the pits in his mouth. "Pout, will ye? Sulk, will ye?" growled Abe as he seized her by the arm and shook her back and forth.

"Oh, mother—father—Abe!" gasped the girl.

"Will ye ever sulk again?" demanded Abe as he danced her around.

"No, no, no!"

"If ye do—beware! I shall always be on hand and ready to break your infernal neck!"

With these awful words Abe bumped her head good and hard against the old cider press and disappeared like a shadow, while Miss Sally grew wings to fly to the house for further protection. It was a night or two later that Abe showed up at the house, and he had hardly taken his seat when the girl came straight up to him and with such sincerity in her face as he had never witnessed before she said:

"Abe, it took a ghost to do it, but I am completely cured of the sulks. I know it. I realize it and I am so glad over it that—"

"That we will get married pretty soon?" finished Abe for her.

And she nodded her head.

## AUSTRIA MUST MAKE APOLOGY FOR ATTACK

### U. S. Puts U-Boat Commander in Ananias Club.

Washington, Mar. 2.—Formal demand on the Austrian government for an apology for the submarine attack last December on the American oil steamer Petrolite will be forwarded to Vienna in a few days.

Additional evidence completely contradicting the statements of the Austrian submarine commander has been obtained from the officers and crew of the Standard Oil vessel which is now at Newport News. Officials of the state department who have examined the new affidavits declare that it substantiates the original reports that the Petrolite though flying the American flag was fired on after she obeyed the warning shot of the submarine to haul to.

The explanation of the submarine commander as forwarded to Washington by the Austrian government in response to a request for an investigation was that the Petrolite gave the appearance that she was about to ram the submarine and that despite the presence of the American colors on board he thought she was a hostile war vessel sailing under a false flag.

## FLOUR PRICES CAUSE RIOTS

Strike Among Bakers of Madrid Develops into Great Violence.

London, Mar. 2.—A Reuter dispatch from Madrid says that a strike which began among the bakers in that city on account of the high price of flour has developed into a general strike and brought trade to a standstill.

Riots have occurred and several persons have been injured in conflicts with the police. The Mayor of Madrid has resigned as a consequence of the trouble.

## SHEA FOR CHILEAN ENVOY

President Wilson Selects Indiana Judge for Important Post.

Washington, Mar. 2.—Judge Joseph H. Shea of Seymour, Ind., has been selected by President Wilson as ambassador to Chile, and will be nominated in the near future.

He will succeed Henry P. Fletcher, who has been appointed ambassador to Mexico.

## Want War With Germany.

Rome, Mar. 2.—A strong party in parliament is prepared to advocate a declaration of war against Germany. No action is expected for several days, pending a conference at the foreign office.

## Killed by Road Blast.

Canadian, Okla., Mar. 2.—Jean Knapp was killed, Dan Moody is dying and two other men were injured in a dynamite explosion on the new Jefferson highway.

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## STEWART

Stewart, Feb. 28.—The Ladies Aid Society will hold a market at the bank Saturday afternoon.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Daum Friday morning.

The W. W. G. C. of Fertile Valley will give a plain box social at the home of Mrs. E. A. Thompson, March 3rd, for the benefit of the church. A lunch will be served to those not bringing boxes.

Mrs. Fred Gibson of near Rochelle spent several days here last week with friends.

Miss Bertie Ream spent Saturday with Scarborough friends.

Misses Dorothy Thorp and Dorothy Barnett did shopping in Rockford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith of Davis Junction were over Sunday visitors at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Ray Byrd went to Rockford Monday to spend a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wormley moved last week into the Mrs. Mary F. Burd house on Main street.

Henry Oakland was elected super-

## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Adam F. Henkel, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Adam F. Henkel, late of the County of Lee and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon at the April Term, on the 1st Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of February, A. D. 1916.

R. C. Madden, Attorney.

WILLIAM C. HENKEL, Executor.

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intendent of the M. E. Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Hemenway went to Rockford Monday to see The Birth of a Nation.

## HARMON

Harmon, Feb. 28.—\* Dr. R. A. Jennings of Rock Falls was a business visitor here Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Smith, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mrs. Loneragan of Dixon was a week end guest at the John Farley home.

Sam Allen was a Sterling visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt spent the week end in Genoa, Sycamore, and DeKalb, visiting friends.

Mrs. Killan of Sterling is staying at the Dewey home.

Miss Mary Smallwood attended the teachers' meeting at Franklin Grove Saturday.

L. F. Kenour of Mendota is in Harmon on business connected with the Farmers' Elevator Co.

Miss Mary Smallwood attended the teachers' meeting at Franklin Grove Saturday.

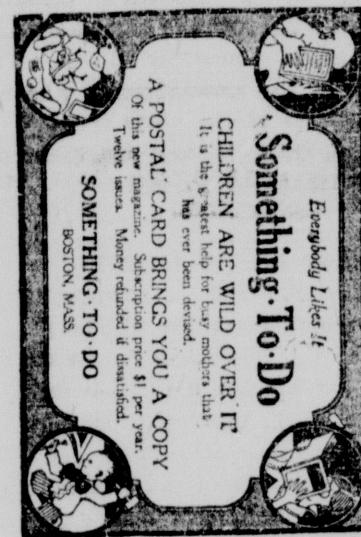
We are requested to announce that a parents' reception day will be given by the teachers and pupils of the Harmon school, Friday, March 10th. All parents and friends of the school are invited to spend at least a portion of the day at the school. The regular daily program will be carried out without special preparation, thus showing exactly the work being done in our school this year. Harmon people can and should be proud of the school and are taking an unusual interest in the work. The high school under Prof. Landwehr has been placed on the recognized list of high schools for the first time in its history. This means a great deal to the community as our young people are now on a par with those in the city schools. Let every family be represented on March 10th. Nothing encourages both pupils and teachers as much as a friendly visit from the parents and friends. \* \* \*

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FOR SALE. A lot of household furniture; 1 book case, 1 hall tree, 1 good bedroom set, 1 refrigerator, 1 heating stove, 1 family pony harness and buggy, 1 60 gallon oil tank with pump, and many other articles; any one interested can inspect property at 808 North Galena Ave. Telephone 14642. N. H. Long. 46tf

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BOAT SEIZURES  
ANGER GERMANY

Kaiser Sends Ultimatum to Portugal on Subject.

GIVES HER FORTY- EIGHT HOURS

Premier Costa Says Vessels Were Requisitioned Owing to Nation's Economic Necessities—Owners Assured Rights Would Be Respected—Nation Prepared for Eventualities.

London, Mar. 2.—Germany has sent an ultimatum to Portugal demanding the restoration within forty-eight hours of the German ships recently seized by that country, according to a dispatch from Madrid to Reuters Telegram company.

Forty-four Ships Seized.

The first seizure of German merchant vessels by Portugal occurred Feb. 23 at Lisbon, when the naval authorities took possession of thirty-six German and Austrian ships in the Tagus. On Feb. 25 the seizure of eight German steamships by the Portuguese authorities at St. Vincent, Cape Verde islands, was announced and it was declared unofficially that the requisitioning of German and Austrian vessels had been extended to all those lying in the ports of Portugal and her colonies.

A Lisbon dispatch Feb. 26 quoted Premier Costa of Portugal as declaring in the chamber of deputies that the government action in requisitioning vessels had been prompted by the necessities of the nation's economic situation. The premier also declared that he considered it to be the best interest of Portugal that the existing treaty with Germany be allowed to lapse and that the Portuguese government was prepared for all eventualities that might arise. Assurances previously had been sent to Berlin, according to Lisbon dispatches, that the rights of the owners of vessels should be respected.

Rumors of War Declaration.

There have been frequent rumors since the outbreak of hostilities that Portugal was about to declare a state of war with the central powers because of her treaty relations with Great Britain, but no such declaration was ever made.

The Portuguese congress Aug. 8, 1914, and also Nov. 22 of that year decided that Portugal would cooperate with the allies whenever that step seemed necessary. Early in the war there were clashes between German forces and Portuguese troops in the Portuguese colony of Angola.

COAST OF BRITAIN IS  
RAIDED BY SEAPLANE

War Office Says Child 9 Months Old Was Killed.

London, Mar. 2.—A German seaplane raided the southeast coast of England, according to a war office statement. A nine months old child was killed. The statement asserts that no military damage was done though the raider "dropped several bombs." It is believed in some quarters this visit is the forerunner of other raids. The statement follows:

"A German seaplane passed over a portion of the southeast coast this evening, dropping several bombs. No military damage was done. A child of nine months is reported to have been killed."

## SALE DATES

Saturday, March 11—Big stock reduction sale of wagons, buggies, harness, machinery, horse collars, blankets, etc., at C. M. Huguet's Store, Dixon, Ill.

Wednesday, March 15—Clarence Lenox, Gap Grove. Administrator's sale of personal property. D. M. Fahrney and Fred Hobbs, Auctioneers.

## FOR SALE



10 Head of SHORT-HORN BULLS aged from 8 to 18 months.

Scotch and Scotch Top—Priced for Quick Sale.

Inspection invited. Farm located 4 1/2 miles Southeast of Sublette. Address

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## For the Children

Some Little Folks Who Go to School Out of Doors.



Photo by American Press Association.

Every morning at 9 o'clock, winter or summer, a band of little children make their appearance in McVinghside park, New York city. They are all suitably clothed and in age range from two to eight years. Weather does not bother these little scholars, for only a driving rain or a hard snow-storm keeps them indoors. When an ordinary rainstorm makes its appearance they are not bothered, for the children are provided with raincoats. School sessions are opened with song, the selection usually being "So Very Early in the Morning." The picture shows a couple of these healthy, happy little youngsters raising their voices in melody. The idea of the outdoor school is primarily the benefits of fresh air. These little folks are taught, besides the three "R's," modeling, mat weaving and all about plants and trees. All of them are pictures of health and vigor. It is great fun to go to school in the park. When the weather is so very bad that even they cannot remain in the open they go to the home of their teacher, Mrs. Calvert, who has provided sand piles, toys and games for their amusement and instruction. More than half a hundred of these little tots are under Mrs. Calvert's care. She and her assistants call each day for their pupils and marshal them to the park, which is near Columbia university.

## The Brown Thrasher.

The brown thrasher is one of our most useful birds. It measures eleven and one-half inches in length. Perched upon the very top of a tree, which usually is not a very tall one, with head up and tail down, he pours out a flood of music—high notes and low notes, smooth notes and rough notes, sometimes together and sometimes he really sings himself.

Following are a few marks by which he can be distinguished from all the other thrush-like birds: The two white wing bars, the extraordinarily long tail, which is a bright reddish brown, and the long continued, bright and cheerful carol which is heard in the morning this favorite time for singing, consisting of all sorts of musical sounds. While the farmer is planting the seed he cries, "Drop it, drop it, cover it up, cover it up—pull it up, pull it up, pull it up." His call is a clear whistled "whenn."

## Game of Cities.

In this game the players sit in a circle around a table, and each one is provided with a piece of paper and a pencil. The leader asks them to write at the head of the paper the name of a city, each being different. They are allowed five minutes to make up a sentence, each word of which must begin with the letters composing the name of the city. For example: City—Chicago.

Sentence—Came home in carriage after going out.

If any one fails to have a correct sentence at the end of five minutes he must pay a forfeit.

Jumping Letters.

1. Jump a piece of marsh land and find part of Great Britain.

2. Jump able to endure hardship and find yourself held in moral obligation.

3. Jump to clean with a brush and find yourself in tears.

4. Jump articles of household furniture and find the most competent of men.

5. Jump a marsh plant and find borders.

Answers—1, Swale—Wales; 2, tough—ought; 3, sweep—weeps; 4, tables—ablest; 5, sedge—edges.

Ideas About the Sun.

In ancient times the philosophers held very erroneous notions concerning the size of the sun. Anaximander thought that it might be nearly as large as the then known earth, including southern Europe, northern Africa and western Asia. Anaxagoras declared it could be no larger than Greece and her islands. Heraclitus convinced his hearers that it was about the size of a man's head.

Naughty Nettie.

Naughty Nettie took a penny from her mother's purse, and she also spent the penny, which was even worse. But she bought a stick of candy. And it made her sick! Then she up and told her mother. Very, very quick!

## BACKING UP PROOF

THE KIND THAT DIXON PEOPLE CANNOT DENY

Many an earnest Dixon man or woman has publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills.

Week after week, month after month, you've read their statements. Would these Dixon people recommend any medicine if it were not good?

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The following Dixon man's statement leaves no room for doubt.

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Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Walford has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain:

	Mixed White
Oats	35 36
Corn	25 70

## LOCAL PRODUCE QUOTATIONS

	Pay Well
Creamery butter	40
Dairy butter	30 35
Lard	11 15
Eggs	20 25
Potatoes	90 110
Chickens	18 22
Geese	16 21
Ducks	18 22
Turkeys	20 25

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## Wheat—

	May	July	Sept.	Oct.
114 1/4	112 3/4	119 3/4	111 1/4	
108 3/4	109 3/4	107 3/4	108 3/4	

## Corn—

	May	July	Sept.	Oct.
74	74 3/4	73 1/2	73 3/4	
73 3/4	74 3/4	73 3/4	73 3/4	

## Oats—

	May	July	Sept.	Oct.
42 3/4	43 3/4	42 3/4	42 3/4	
49 3/4	41 1/2	40 3/4	41 3/4	

## Pork—

	May	July	Sept.	Oct.
20 3/4	21 3/4	20 3/4	21 3/4	
20 3/4	21 3/4	20 3/4	21 3/4	

## Lard—

	May	July	Sept.	Oct.
10 3/4	10 3/4	10 3/4	10 3/4	
10 3/4	10 3/4	10 3/4	10 3/4	

## Ribs—

	May	July	Sept.	Oct.
11 3/4	11 3/4	11 3/4	11 3/4	
11 3/4	11 3/4	11 3/4	11 3/4	

## Receipts today—

	Hogs	Cattle	Sheep
26,000	4,000	12,000	

Hogs open steady.

Mixed 875-9c.

Heavy 875-9c.

Rough 850-865c.

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TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving

Dixon that carry passengers and

freight. Daily. Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a. m.

123 Southern Exp. 11:03 a. m.

121 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp. 9:45 a. m.

124 Local Mail 5:34 p. m.

120 Local Exp. 8:21 p. m.

Freight Freight\* 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO &amp; NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains

leaving Dixon. Daily except where

otherwise specified.

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

6 3:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 a. m.

28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.

18 8:55 a. m. 11:00 a. m.

10 11:19 a. m. 2:00 p. m.

20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m.

4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

109 4:15 p. m. Sua. only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon

5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun. 10:20 a. m.

29 7:10 a. m. Su. only 10:23 a. m.

13 10:30 a. m. 1:05 p. m.

19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.

27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:26 p. m.

11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.

17 9:35 p. m. 11:53 p. m.

\* 10:00 p. m. 12:28 a. m.

3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

\* Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria

TIME MAILS CLOSE

The following table shows the

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## SANGAMON COUNTY BACKS FGE OF VICE

Sheriff Joh A Wheeler Wins  
Primates for Lid.

Springfield, Ill., Mar. 2.—The fight of Dr. John A. Wheeler, sheriff of Sangamon county, to nominate candidates for places on the county board of supervisors who will be favorable to his law and order campaign was endorsed by the voters. Eighty per cent of the women who voted upheld the law and order candidates of the sheriff.

The contest extended into practically every township in the county. Sheriff Wheeler has waged relentless war on vice and has kept the saloons of the county closed on Sunday in compliance with the state law. He professed conversion at a recent revival meeting.

## NOTED GERMAN EDITOR DIES

Colonel William E. Bryant Passes Away at Danville.

Danville, Ill., Mar. 2.—Colonel William E. Bryant, sixty-six years of age, editor Der Herold and Zeitung, veteran Franco-Prussian war soldier, and leader among the German-born citizens of Eastern Illinois, died of pneumonia.

He had worked on St. Louis German papers.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

This is to announce my candidacy for the office of tax collector for Dixon Township, at the spring election, April 4, 1916.

NOAH W. BEAL.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of tax collector of Dixon township at the election April 4.—MICHAEL DUFFY.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of tax collector of Dixon township at the election April 4.

GRACE G. STEEL.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of commissioner of highways of Dixon township at the election April 4.

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### COMBINATION SALE.

At Ben Baus' Feed and Sale Stables, Wednesday, March 15. Household goods, wagons, horses, harness, etc. Between twenty and twenty-five bushels of seed corn. List your property at once. George Fruin, Auct. Clifford Gray, Clerk. 28 2 6 10 13

### COMBINATION SALE.

At Manges Feed Barns, Dixon, Ill. Thursday, March 9, 1 P. M. Horses, Cattle, 25 hogs, farm machinery, harness and household goods. D. M. Fahrney, Auct. C. B. Leake, Clerk. 50tf

### FOR SALE.

Load of cows at auction. Some fresh and some springers, at North Side stock yards, Friday, March 3, at 1 o'clock. J. A. Covert. 50 3\*

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Paint, \$1.25 gallon; Alabastine, Mureco. Everything for your housecleaning, at Prescott & Schildberg's. 51tf

### SLEEPS 17 DAYS, RECOVERS

Wisconsin Town Develops Mysterious Illness—Nine Sleep, 3 Die.

Oconto, Wis., Mar. 2.—A sleeping sickness in a new form has developed here, but Dora Henderson, the victim of the longest sleep on record in Wisconsin, who slept seventeen days, has recovered. Five others have been ill of the same mysterious complaint, and three died, while the other two recovered after sleeping no more than five days.

The first sufferer was Harold Bodie. He slept five days and was fed while asleep until he died. Two others slept three or four days and died.

### ANTI-TIPPING LAW IS VOID

Iowa Court Knocks Out Act as Class Legislation.

Sioux City Ia., Mar. 2.—Judge George Jepson of the district court held unconstitutional the Iowa anti-tipping law, the first test of which was started in Sioux City last July. A barber was arrested on a charge of accepting a 25-cent tip.

The court held the law invalid in that it cannot be said to "preserve the health, morals or safety of the people." It further held the statute was class legislation in that it applied to employees only.

### SMOKE CAUSES COLLISION

Engineer and Brakeman on Northwestern Probably Will Die.

Des Moines, Ia., Mar. 2.—A cloud of smoke so dense that signals were hidden resulted in a collision near here of a Chicago and Northwestern passenger train and a freight train. J. N. Johnson, engineer, and M. M. McKully, brakeman, of the freight, received probable mortal injuries. No passengers were hurt.

New York State Judge Dies.

Rochester, N. Y., Mar. 2.—William E. Werner, associate justice of the state court of appeals, died here. Judge Werner was born in Buffalo, April 19, 1855. In 1900 he was appointed to the court of appeals by Roosevelt when the latter was governor. He was active in Masonic affairs.

### PRINCE AND PRINCESS PART

Princess Miskinoff Says She Never Wants to Bear Title Again.

New York, Mar. 2.—The prince and princess were parted when Supreme Court Justice Clark signed the separation papers legally parting Princess Miskinoff and her husband, Yvonne, the foster daughter of the princess, remains with her and tearfully declares she never was infatuated with the prince and never will be.

The prince will join the Russian army and the princess says she never wants to hear of him or his title again.

## A Catspaw

By EUNICE BLAKE

Before the breaking out of the great European war I was traveling in France, near the eastern boundary, when one day I met a girl with whom I became acquainted. She said she had been born in America and had lived there the most of her life. She was about twenty years old and seemed to be very strong for a girl. I was doing my traveling on foot, and, since she was also a pedestrian, we concluded to proceed together, both being unprotected women. I noticed that she was very secretive.

However, one evening she gave me her confidence. She brought forth several drawings on entomological subjects, in which science she professed to be greatly interested. There were the magnified head of a fly, a beetle's wing and a bird's foot. The drawings had on them certain marks which she explained to me and gave the number of times they had been magnified and other information. Not having any taste for or knowledge of entomology, I could only look at her drawings and listen to what she said. When she had finished talking about them she told me that it was possible she might wish to turn them over to me to forward for her to such place as she should designate. I did not see why such a course should be necessary, since they could be easily mailed at slight expense, for they were on very thin paper and of light weight.

One day when we were walking near some fortifications my friend seemed to me to have suddenly become nervous. I noticed a man walking near us, and whenever his back was turned she cast furtive glances toward him. That evening Miss Warbeck—the name she gave me—handed me an envelope and asked me to post it when I should be near a mail box. She said that she had received a telegram to come home immediately, her mother being ill, and would likely leave by the first train in the morning, though of this she did not seem to feel certain. I took the note and promised to do as she asked. Before going to bed I went into her room to say goodbye to her. What was my astonishment to find her gone, with the handbag she carried on her travels. I noticed that a window was open, and she had left the room in disorder. Looking out through the window, I saw that there was a shed directly below, on to which one might drop and thence to the ground.

I wondered, but said nothing. If she had reasons for leaving the house without paying her bill it was no concern of mine. Landlords are usually able to take care of their own interests. I went to bed and to sleep. My suspicions having been aroused, I determined to get rid of the letter she had given me at once. It was addressed to some one in Switzerland. After breakfast I went out, found a letter box and was about to put the missive in it when I felt a hand on my wrist, and a man said politely:

"I will trouble you for that, made-moiselle."

Had I not been familiar with the fact that the eyes of European governments are always open, especially to strangers, I would have been more surprised than I was. However, I was sufficiently suspicious of Miss Warbeck to surrender the letter without even a protest. Returning to my hotel, I packed my grip and was about to leave the house when an officer in uniform accosted me and asked hurriedly, "Where is the man who was walking with you yesterday?"

"Man? There was no man with me." "Well, then, the woman?"

"I don't know. She left me last night."

"Will you please come with me, made-moiselle?" I dared not protest, but went with the man, who took me to a military office, and I was questioned by an officer in uniform. He asked me many questions about my recent companion, then called on me to establish my own identity. This I was well able to do having with me letters from home and other evidences that I was a woman traveling to see the world.

"This is perfectly satisfactory," said the officer. "You have not been suspected; from the first we have supposed that you have been a dupe. Your traveling companion is a man and a spy. He has been sketching fortifications along the border and has commissioned you to mail his drawings for him."

He took the drawings from a desk and showed them to me.

"But these are merely drawings of insect parts magnified," I protested. He then showed me that they were drawings of forts with lines from and about them that caused them to look like what I had supposed they were. The marks that I had been told indicated the magnified power really indicated how many guns there were in each fort.

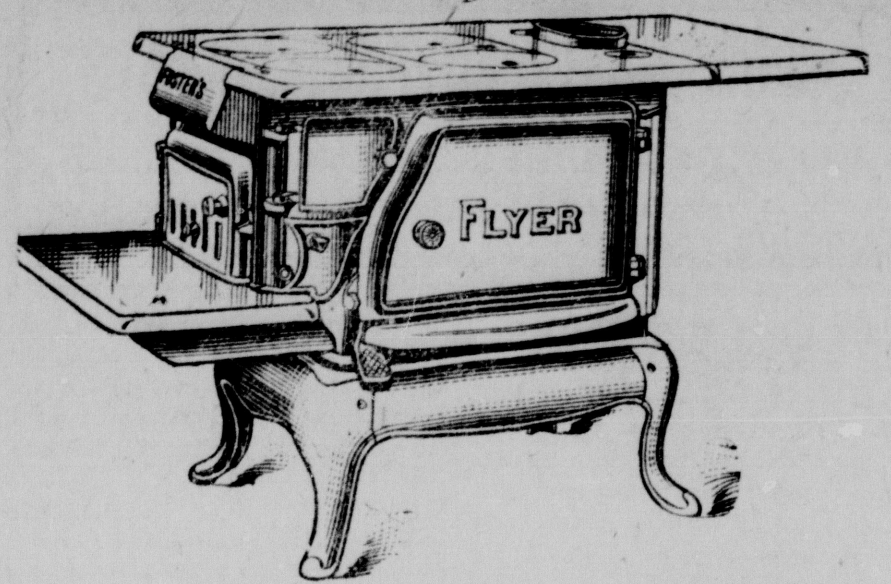
"Great heavens!" I exclaimed. "To think that I should have been caught with that on me sufficient to hang me for a spy!"

I was permitted to go my way. I asked if the would likely catch my recent companion, but as to this the officer shut up like a clam.

When the great war broke out I was in Berlin. In one of the regiments that marched past me I saw a face that seemed familiar to me. Several days later it came to me that the possessor of that face was my traveling companion in France.

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